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Dear Friend:

The growing of unusual Tropical Plants and Succulents has been a hobby with me for many years. I have a small greenhouse equipped with fans, an Evaporative Cooler and heaters for year round growing of favorite plants. Also have an area covered with "LUMITE" Saran Plastic screening to cut out 50% of the sun's rays in the summer time, which is very necessary for the successful growing of many interesting plants.

Around our place there are many trees under which I am growing varieties that do best in shaded areas. By experimenting with many rare lilies and bromeliads, with succulents, epiphyllums and cacti...there is much to be learned about habits and requirements of tropicals that are in reality out of their natural habitat. With some I am having rather spectacular success.

Since a great many varieties of plants are continuously being tried and grown here on my place it often happens that I have quite a surplus of some varieties that are given away, sold or traded to friends and acquaintances. I am always on the look-out for unusual plants, bulbs and seeds. If you have anything in which you think I might be interested, please write me about them.

At present I have a surplus of the following :

CRASSULA ARGENTEA, "Jade Tree", deep, glossy green, thick leaved succulent, wonderful for pots indoors or semi-shade outdoors. Rooted cuttings 50¢
Unrooted cuttings 25¢

CRASSULA FALCATA, gray-green blade-like leaf, exotic saffron blooms. Grows well in pots. Unrooted cuttings 25¢

BRYOPHYLLUM DAIGREMONTIANUM, an exciting thick leaved succulent with amazing growth and vigor. Sprouts little plants all along the leaf spurs. Likes semi-shade and moderate moisture. A stunning sight when in bloom. Stands dry weather very well. Rooted cuttings or vigorous young plants 50¢

PORTULACARIA AFRA, "Elephant Bush" makes most unusual miniature tree, small round thick leaves that store up moisture and put up with a lot of dry weather. Grows well in pots. Native of Africa where it makes a large shrub. Rooted cuttings 50¢
Unrooted cuttings 25¢

SEDUM SEIBOLDI, an exceptional-flowering pot plant, dark green and thick leaves, vigorous grower. Rooted cuttings 50¢ Unrooted 25¢

AGAVE AMERICANA, the famous Century Plant of the west. Interesting in large pots, rather slow growing but will reach 5 ft. or more in height in a few years. Called the Century plant but actually blooms in about 20 years. Medium size plants (about 12") \$1

EPIPHYLLUM, "Queen of the Night Blooming cereus" Plants well started \$1

SEEDS of the following interesting plants are available now: Pkt. 35¢

MIMOSA PUDICA, the sensitive plant, highly sensitive to the touch.

CLEOME, grows like a shrub, large clusters of pink flowers all summer.

COFFEA ARABICA, "Arabian Coffee", conversation piece "Grow your own".

BENGALIAN RUBBER PLANT, RELIGIOSA, Sacred Tree of India, MUSA ENSETTE BANANA.

